State of Alaska-Division of Fire and Life Safety

Bureau of Fire Accreditation, Standards and Training

F- 1711 MARINE DOCKSIDE FIRE AWARENESS

Dates: May 12-14, 2017

Location: Homer Fire Department

Homer, AK

COURSE DESCRIPTION: This class will raise awareness and increase safety in the event of a shipboard fire. Some of the topics to be covered during the symposium will include: interpretation of ship fire plans, firefighter coordination with ship's crew, basics of vessel stability, vessel familiarization, coordination of private and public responses, politics of a marine incident, an update on implementation of U. S. Coast Guard salvage and marine firefighting regulations and an introduction to oil shipping. Numerous hands-on and field activities will allow community firefighters to work with the marine salvage industry and firefighter contractors.

TARGET AUDIENCE: Land based fire departments and personnel who may have to respond to marine vessel fires.

STUDENT RESPONSIBILITIES:

This course is offered during 2017 Marine Firefighter Symposium with assistance from the Bureau of Fire Accreditation, Standards and Training. Students will need to register for the symposium through their website (see registration link). Completion of this class with 100% attendance enables student to test for Marine Dockside Fire Awareness certification.

Course materials will be provided to registered students at the beginning of class. The student or his/her sponsoring agency is responsible for all costs for transportation, food and lodging. Travel assistance, for hotel and travel costs, will be available through the Prince William Sound Regional Citizens' Advisory Council. Not all applicants requesting travel assistance will receive an award.

Instructors: Jeff Johnson John Lewis Don Ryan

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Registration Deadline: March 17, 2017

Student Tuition: No cost